

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY WILL NOT ABANDON SLUSH FUND CASES

If Thrown Out on Technicality  
Prosecution Will Begin  
Over Again.

If the Appellate Division makes permanent its invalidation of the indictments brought by the Extraordinary Grand Jury in the so-called Mitchell slush fund—as developed yesterday—the District Attorney will begin all over again the laborious prosecution of the men alleged to have been guilty of conspiracy in the handling of the Fusion Committee's election funds.

This was promised to-day by Assistant District Attorney Alfred J. Talley, who had charge of the Grand Jury inquiry that resulted in indicting George Hamilton Childs, ex-Senator Josiah T. Reynolds, ex-Gov. William Sulzer and former Coroner Timothy Healy. He said:

"If these defendants are successful in forcing the court's acceptance of the technicality their counsel raised you cannot say it too strongly that the District Attorney's office will go through with the thing all over again, and it would not surprise me greatly if there should be other indictments forthcoming besides those pertaining to the four now seeking a loophole."

The Assistant District Attorney expressed the belief that the Appellate Division could not find a precedent to turn its decision in favor of the four indicted Fusionists in the recent McIntyre-Delehanty contest for a General Sessions judgeship. The cause of reversal in that case dif-

ferred from the technical basis of John H. Stanchfield's move against the validity of the indictments in the slush fund case, Talley declared. A nice legal point, which doubtless will be carried immediately to some court of review, concerns the status of fifty-four election inspectors who were tried under the Extraordinary Term whose qualifications were questioned, who pleaded guilty and are now serving sentences in the Tombs. Talley insisted to-day that inasmuch as these men who pleaded guilty did not at the time question the legality of the court which tried them their convictions must stand. Other lawyers believe each of the imprisoned men has a good chance to be released.

## NEW YORK JEWS OFFER HOSPITAL TO GOVERNMENT

Beth Israel Heads Proffer \$1,250,000 Institution to War and Navy Departments.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—On behalf of the Beth Israel Hospital in New York, Representative Siegel of New York to-day offered to the War and Navy Departments to erect a \$1,250,000 hospital for either department on the square block in New York City bounded by Second Avenue, Livingston Place and East 16th and 17th Streets. The hospital would be equipped with 500 beds. The Government would have sole use and control of it during the war.

Both departments took the offer under advisement.

Supt. L. J. Frank of Beth Israel, explained to-day that plans for a seventeen-story addition to the hospital had been drawn when the United States entered the war and building operations had been postponed so as not to interfere with military needs. "Realizing that duplication and after the war readjustments might be saved by the Government utilizing existing institutions," Mr. Frank said, "when we saw the increasing need of more hospital space we suggested that we could put up this building right away for Government use. The plans and the land are available, and after the war we will be ready to take back the building for our peace needs."

Joseph H. Cohen is President of Beth Israel. The Chairman of the Building Committee is I. L. Phillips.

## PAY CHECK FOR WIFE OF A SOLDIER STOLEN

Prisoner Admits Passing It, but  
Denies He Took Letter  
From Mail Box.

Numerous complaints have come to Acting Capt. McKenna of the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau that soldiers' allotments were not reaching the proper persons. Detectives Shields and Lennon yesterday arrested Vernon Harris, nineteen, a negro chauffeur, No. 140 West 138th Street, charging him with forgery.

According to the detectives, Mrs. Hortense Simmons, a negro, No. 69 West 138th Street, whose husband George is in France with the 15th Infantry, heard the letter carrier's whistle yesterday morning. Not finding any mail in the box she notified the police. The detectives seized Harris after he passed the Simmons check for \$120 in a saloon. In the Detective Bureau Harris admitted cashing the check but said he did not steal it. He said a man, whose name he gave to the police, told him that he would give Harris \$5 and the \$1 he owed him if he would pass the check.

Capt. McKenna said he thought the persons entitled to receive soldiers' allotments should call for them instead of taking the chance of having them stolen from mail boxes.

## G. A. R. POST CONDEMNS TWO HEARST PAPERS

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 23.—At a meeting last night of Hamilton D. Sleight Post No. 30, G. A. R., a resolution was adopted appealing to the citizens of Poughkeepsie on the grounds of patriotism to discontinue buying the New York American and New York Evening Journal and to discourage their sale and circulation here. The committee recently appointed by the post to visit newspaper dealers and them to stop the American will continue its activities.

Capt. Plummer, Chairman of the committee, reported that twenty of twenty-one newspaper dealers had given assurances they were willing to stop handling the Hearst papers. He also stated that the dealers would hold a meeting and draw up resolutions covering the case.

## CAT A SUICIDE AT A FIRE

Fire gutted the apartment of Mrs. Anna Murphy, on the fifth floor of No. 210 West 42d Street, this morning, and her son Daniel was dragged out of the front bedroom by neighbors, almost suffocated by smoke. In the apartment Mrs. Murphy had five cats and an old collie dog.

Policeman Campo, rushing into the courtyard, just missed being struck on the head by a heavy body that of Vivian, Mrs. Murphy's prize angora, who had leaped from the flames and committed suicide. The four other cats and the collie were found by Policeman Tarpey under the skylight partly smothered by smoke. The fresh air on the roof revived them. The first was rescued, the damage being about \$1,000.

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